

9 CIVIL ENGINEER SQUADRON



MISSION

9 Civil Engineer Squadron's mission is to provide the best combat ready forces worldwide, while sustaining, building, and protecting the infrastructure, facilities, and environment for the Beale community.

The 9 Civil Engineer Squadron enables the 9 Reconnaissance Wing mission by providing superior facility, airfield, and utility system construction, operations, and maintenance; fire emergency services, explosive ordnance disposal, and emergency management; unaccompanied along with privatized family housing facilities and programs; asset optimization; and environmental security.

The 9 Civil Engineer squadron consists of more than 400 active duty, civilians and contractors assigned to the base. 9 Civil Engineer Squadron maintains 23,000 acres of land, 1,740 facilities and 565 unaccompanied personnel quarters valued at \$1.1B. Beale AFB has a privatized housing partnership with Balfour Beatty Communities to provide family housing for Beale AFB families.

LINEAGE

9 Installations Squadron, Strategic Reconnaissance, and activated, 1 May 1949

Redesignated 9 Installations Squadron, 16 Mar 1950

Redesignated 9 Civil Engineering Squadron, 1 Jul 1960

Discontinued, and inactivated, 1 Jan 1966

Activated, 1 Aug 1972

Inactivated, 30 Sep 1975

Activated, 15 Mar 1983

Inactivated, 1 Jan 1990

Activated, 1 Sep 1991

STATIONS

Fairfield-Suisun (later, Travis) AFB, Calif, 1 May 1949
Mountain Home AFB, Idaho, 16 Apr 1953-1 Jan 1966
Beale AFB, Calif, 1 Aug 1972-30 Sep 1975
Beale AFB, Calif, 15 Mar 1983-1 Jan 1990
Beale AFB, Calif, 1 Sep 1991

ASSIGNMENTS

9 Air Base (later, 9 Combat Support) Group, 1 May 1949-1 Jan 1966
9 Combat Support Group, 1 Aug 1972-30 Sep 1975
9 Combat Support Group, 15 Mar 1983-1 Jan 1990
9 Support Group, 1 Sep 1991

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM



9 Civil Engineering Squadron emblem On an Air Force blue disc, bordered Air Force golden yellow, an Air Force golden yellow earth mover bendwise issuing from sinister (left) base, outlines dark brown, details red, shading light brown, wheels, highlights and speed lines white; driving the vehicle a caricatured fireman in red suit and red and white helmet; hanging from the front of the

vehicle a hammer and paint brush, Air Force golden yellow; all between a cloud issuing from chief emitting two red lightning flashes and issuing from dexter (right) base a cloud below in sinister base a blueprint, all white, outlines and details Air Force blue. Significance. The emblem is symbolic of the squadron and its mission. The equipment flying through the sky with a laughing fireman at the wheel indicates the enthusiasm and pride in performance with which the squadron accomplishes its mission. Functions of the squadron are represented by the blueprint, the tools, the earth mover, the fireman's helmet, and the lightning bolts. The emblem bears the Air Force colors, ultramarine blue and golden yellow, and the national colors, red, white and blue. (Approved, 29 Sep 1961)



9 Civil Engineer Squadron patch

MOTTO

OPERATIONS

9 Civil Engineering Squadron deployed team to Riyadh Air Base, Saudi Arabia. 1992-1993

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Sources

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